

Docket No. 6388-0501-0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Beatrice TOUMI, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/533,361

FILED: March 22, 2000

FOR: TIGHTENING AGENT COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE GRAFTED SILICONE POLYMER

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment with marked up copy in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
 Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Extension of Time (2 months), Notice of Appeal

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated December 21, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

21. (Twice Amended) A composition comprising, in a physiologically acceptable medium, at least one grafted silicone polymer comprising a polysiloxane portion and portion composed of a non-silicone organic chain, one of the two portions constituting the main chain of the polymer and the other being grafted to the said main chain and one or more compounds selected from the group consisting of phosphodiesterase inhibitors, 1-hydroxyalkylxanthines,